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1. SOVIET PRESS NOVEMBER 29 REPORTS RESULTS OF ALGIERS SUMMIT SELECTIVELY WITH FOCUS ON SUMMIT'S THANKS TO USSR AND SOCIALIST STATES, ON CALL FOR ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL FROM ALL OCCUPIED TERRITORIES AND SATISFACTION OF LEGITIMATE NATIONAL RIGHTS OF PALESTINIANS, AND ON THEME OF ARAB UNITY. ALTHOUGH SOVIET PRESS HAS REPORTED PLO ATTENDANCE AT ALGIERS, THERE IS NO MENTION OF SUMMIT RECOGNITION OF PLO AS SOLE REPRESENTATIVE OF PALESTINIAN PEOPLE.

2. MAJOR DAILIES GIVE SUBSTANCE OF CONFERENCE'S APPEAL TO SOCIALIST STATES EXPRESSING APPRECIATION FOR THEIR SUPPORT OF ARAB CAUSE. PRAVDA ALSO REPORTS BOUMEDIENE PRAISE OF SOCIALIST CAMP FOR SUPPORT. ACCOUNTS, NOT UNEXPECTEDLY, MAKE NO REFERENCE TO SUMMIT'S RECOGNITION OF CHINESE SUPPORT.

3. PRAVDA AND KRASNAYA ZVEZDA CARRY ASSERTION AT SUMMIT THAT PEACE CAN BE REALIZED ONLY IF ISRAEL WITHDRAWS FROM ALL OCCUPIED TERRITORIES AND LEGITIMATE NATIONAL RIGHTS OF PALESTINIANS ARE REESTABLISHED. SOVIET MEDIA IGNORE SPECIAL REFERENCE TO JERUSALEM. FULLEST REPORT (TASS ITEM IN KRASNAYA ZVEZDA) RECOUNTS GENERAL DECLARATION'S CONDEMNATION OF ISRAELI AGGRESSION, INCLUDING SPECIAL REFERENCE TO U.S. SUPPORT OF ISRAEL (NOT CARRIED IN PRAVDA), AND SUMMARIZES SUBSTANCE OF ARAB PLEDGE OF AID TO AFRICA, DECISION TO CONTINUE USE OF OIL AS WEAPON, AND APPEAL TO EUROPEANS CALLING FOR JUST POSITION ON ME SETTLEMENT.

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